

# USDA ARS Pollinating Insects Research Unit



## Alfalfa Pollinator Workshop and Lab Tour March 2, 2011 Logan, Utah



Location: [USDA ARS Poisonous Plants Research Laboratory, 1150 East 1400 North](#)

### Agenda

Time	Subject	Speaker
8:00 am	<i>Guest Check-In</i>	
8:15 am - 8:20 am	<i>Welcome to the Logan Bee Lab</i>	<a href="#">Dr. Rosalind James</a>
8:20 am - 8:30 am	<b>Comments from the Northern Plains Assoc. Area Director</b>	<a href="#">Dr. Michael McGuire</a>
8:30 am - 8:50 am	<b>Overview: Studies to improve U.S. alfalfa leafcutting bee sustainability</b>	<a href="#">Dr. Theresa Pitts-Singer</a>
8:50 am - 9:10 am	<b>Alkali bees: Great pollinators with management limitations</b>	<a href="#">Dr. Jim Cane</a>
9:10 am - 9:30 am	<b>Disease issues in the alfalfa leafcutting bee: Chalkbrood</b>	<a href="#">Dr. Rosalind James</a>
9:30 am - 9:45 am	<i>Break and Poster Viewing</i>	
9:45 am - 9:55 am	<b>Chalkbrood infection dynamics in the alfalfa leafcutting bee</b>	<a href="#">Ellen Klinger</a>
9:55 am - 10:10 am	<b>Using ozone for pest and disease control</b>	<a href="#">Dr. Rosalind James</a>
10:10 am - 10:25 am	<b>Can “safe” pesticides impact bee sustainability?</b>	<a href="#">Dr. Theresa Pitts-Singer</a>
10:25 am - 10:40 am	<b>Supplemental forage to feed crop-pollinating bees</b>	<a href="#">Dr. Jim Cane</a>
10:40 am - 11:15 am	<b>U.S. Bee Manager Panel &amp; Discussion</b>	
11:15 am - 11:45 am	<i>Poster Viewing, Networking, and Socializing</i>	
11:45am - 12:50 pm	<i>Lunch &amp; Socializing</i>	
1:00 pm - 3:00 pm	<b>Tour of Logan Bee Lab</b> <a href="#">1410 N 800 E (USU Research Greenhouses), Logan, UT</a>	

**Pre-Registration ends on February 23, 2011**

